ANTI-HUMAN TRAFFICKING TASK FORCE PROGRAM Component: 40.30.560

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The mission of the Anti-Human Trafficking Task Force Program is to increase the identification of trafficking victims through proactive law enforcement tactics and cooperation; to increase the successful prosecution of traffickers through multi-jurisdictional law enforcement collaborations; to develop practical service protocols; and to develop and provide training to support law enforcement to proactively identify, rescue, and to ensure victim safety and access to needed services.

The Program is comprised of nine local multi-disciplinary task forces, which have developed partnerships with federal and state agencies, as well as prosecution agencies, to work collaboratively with victim and social service organizations in the identification of trafficked victims and the conviction of persons engaged in severe forms of human trafficking. The nine task forces include: Oakland, San Francisco, San Jose, Sacramento, Fresno, Los Angeles, Anaheim, Riverside and San Diego.

The focus of this Program is the expansion of the multi-disciplinary task forces to improve both the law enforcement response to all elements of human trafficking and the coordination between disciplines to ensure a comprehensive continuum of care is provided to victims of human trafficking. A minimum of twenty-five (25) percent of the total funding provided to the nine Anti-Human Trafficking Task Forces is used for the purpose of funding non-governmental organizations (NGOs) that serve the victims of human trafficking to specifically address the needs of this special population.

Efforts of the task forces include, but are not limited to, coordination of information and resource sharing among state and federal law enforcement agencies and victim service providers; development of training for law enforcement personnel, victim service providers, and the public to identify and assist victims of human trafficking; development of protocols and resource manuals for responding to cases involving human trafficking; the identification and rescue of human trafficking victims; and the investigation, arrest, and prosecution of human trafficking cases.

FUNDS AWARDED

Fiscal Year	Types of Funding	<u>Total l</u>	<u>Funding</u>
FY 2013/14	Justice Assistance Grant (JAG0, FFY10 & FFY11)	\$ 3,155,759	
FY 2014/15	This Program was extended to June 30, 2015	\$	0
FY 2015/16	Program ended	\$	0

2013/14 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Law Enforcement Component

<u>919</u>	Investigations initiated.
<u>698</u>	Individuals identified as being victims of human trafficking.
534	Individuals arrested.
428	Operations conducted in an effort to end human trafficking.

Training Component

16,057 Individuals received training.

Non-Governmental Component

1,628 Human trafficking victims received services.

Prosecution Component

Search warrants were served.

Human traffickers were accepted for state prosecution, and six human

traffickers were accepted for federal prosecution.

Protocol Component

83 Collaborative agreements were entered into.

2014/15 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Not Available

2015/16 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS

Not Applicable